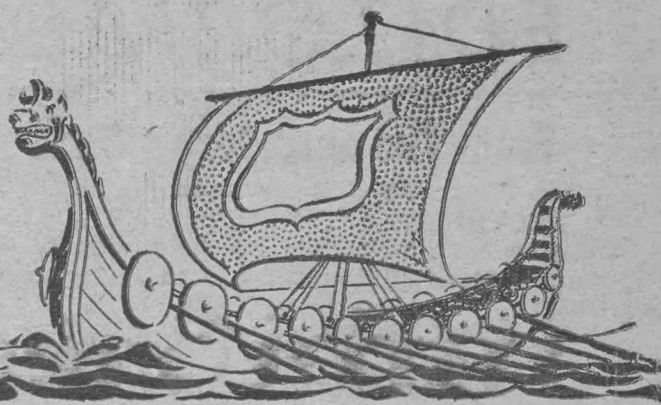


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EIGHT PAGES

Vasa Lodge Skandia No. 549

MONTHLY MEETING

The regular meeting of Vasa Lodge Skandia was held at the IOOF Temple on March 5. Applications for membership were received. Initiation will be conducted at the April 2 meeting when the drill team will perform.

Visiting members were District Vice Master, Floyd Modin, Ray Pearson and Mr. and Mrs. Albin Marksteadt, all from Buford Lodge. It was decided that the pot luck supper will be held on April 24 at the IOOF Temple at 6 p.m. All members and their families are welcome.

After the meeting lunch was served, followed by dancing. The lucky spot dance tickets were won by Mr. and Mrs. Albin Marksteadt, Mrs. Ruth Bergquist and Jack Evedokemenko. The next meeting will be April 2, followed by a dance.

LADIES' AID

The Women's Auxiliary of Lodge Skandia met at the home of Mrs. (Continued on Page 3)

Buford Vasa Lodge No. 577

The annual smorgasbord held on March 18 at Calmar Hall was very well attended. Approximately 300 persons were served and enjoyed the delicious meal which was made up of a variety of Swedish dishes with all the trimmings. Unfortunately, with the exceptionally large turnout, there was not enough food for some of the latecomers.

Our sincere thanks go to the Skandia Lodge folk dance team for its contribution to the program, also to all the others who participated in the program and to all who worked hard to make the evening a success.

A challenge curling game between Buford and Skandia lodges was played at the Shamrock Rink on March 5 with the result being 5-all tie after ten ends of play. The tie was not broken as we still strive in unity. A return game is to be played Saturday evening, March 26 at Calmar. The ladies will also play the same evening.

The next meeting of the lodge will be held March 31.

Swedish Club North Star

The Swedish Club North Star held its March meeting in the home of E. Carlson with Chairman L. Petersson presiding.

The meeting was well attended and the topic on the agenda led to a lively discussion.

Next meeting will be at the home of E. Skarin.

Icelandic Society

ANNUAL MEETING AND SOCIAL EVENING — The Icelandic Society held its annual meeting and social evening at the home of Norm Vigfusson recently when the following slate of officers were elected for the coming year: past president, J. C. Henrickson; president, Norman Vigfusson; vice-president, Wm. Halldorson; secretary, Mrs. Pat Lane; treasurer, Harold Halldorson; telephone convener, Mrs. Lil Leger; and social convener, Mrs. Alex Mitchell.

The Society is congratulated on such an excellent choice of officers. With this energetic group the coming year promises to be well organized and progressively fraternal.

A draw was held during the evening's social hour of a set of drinking glasses donated by Mrs. Herbie Vigfusson, and won by Mrs. Don Cameron. In the whist game, prize winners were Mrs. Vi Arnfinnson, Mrs. O. Gislason, Art Arnfinnson and Harold Olafson.

The next meeting of the society will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Cameron, 10740 - 133 St., on Saturday, April 23. Mrs. N. Vigfussen will donate the prize. Remember the date and place.

A big moment in the life of young Brian Vigfusson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Vigfusson, was when his team-mates entertained their parents to celebrate the victory of the juvenile hockey series in Edmonton. His team, the Britannia - Youngstown representatives, came to the top in the Peanut League and the entire school district honored the young enthusiasts at a banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. H. Roland are planning on settling in Edmonton after their varied and exciting trips east and west. Following their tour of several months duration in Europe they travelled with Mrs. Roland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson to spend Christmas at the west coast where they visited the Carl Anderson family at White Rock and made calls at Vancouver and other points renewing acquaintances. More recently Mr. and Mrs. Roland journeyed by train to Detroit and points east and motored home via Niagara Falls, Windsor, Chicago, Minneapolis, etc. We welcome the travellers home again after their extensive tours.

Mrs. William Lee returned to her home on Vancouver Island after spending the winter in Alberta. Her sister, Mrs. Wm. Pansson of Hillsdown accompanied her.

Mr. Joe Palsson of Arbog was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Alex Mitchell when passing through Edmonton on his way home from a trip to visit relatives on Vancouver Island. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell also entertained at an 'Elfros' gathering when former school-mates and friends met Don Pierson.

DANIA (Danish Society)

Come to the Eastwood Community Hall on April 2 at 8 p.m. for an hour of entertainment. There will be the showing of several films followed by dancing to a one-man orchestra, namely an accordion player. Enjoy a friendly evening together. Coffee will be available. Everybody welcome.

Congratulations to Svend Christensen who celebrated his 40th birthday on March 13 with a party at his home. Several guests from Camrose were present.

Bernhard Pedersen of Camrose is expecting a visit from his sister in Denmark. She will arrive on April 6, the day before Bernhard's birthday, a very nice birthday present for him.

"Happy Birthday" greetings go out to Mr. C. Christopherson who celebrated his 70th birthday on March 19, to Mrs. Carl Anderson who had a birthday on the same day (we won't disclose her age at this time) and to Mrs. A. Jensen, a visitor from Denmark at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marius Granstrom, whose birthday was on March 20. A trip to Vancouver will be her gift from Mr. and Mrs. Granstrom. Mrs. Jensen has a son and daughter-in-law in Eldorado, Sask., where she has visited since her arrival last July. She will be returning to Denmark this summer.

"Bikuben" will meet on April 18 at 8:00 p.m. at 10029-85 Ave. All Danish speaking ladies are welcome.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Miss Lydia Jessen and Frank Peake who plan to be married on April 9. They will make their home in Edmonton.

Best wishes for happy holidays to Borge Jorgensen, Erik Dinesen, Mrs. Helmer Mork and daughter Anna, Mrs. Viola Jensen, Mrs. Knud Jacobsen and daughter Anita, and Mr. and Mrs. Svend Maltesen, all of whom are planning trips to Denmark.

Remember to buy your tickets for the Scandinavian Centre Tea and Coffee party on April 22 at the Hudson's Bay Auditorium from 2 to 5 p.m. There will be a sale of home cooking. Tickets are available from all Scandinavian ladies' clubs.

On April 29 there will be a gymnastic display in Bonnie Doon Hall. Boys', ladies' and men's teams will participate. Dancing will follow. Everyone welcome.

NEWS FROM DENMARK

King Frederik and Queen Ingrid (Cont. on Page Five)

manufacturers agent after a lapse of 30 years.

Sons Of Norway Solglyt Lodge

APRIL 22 — WINDSOR ROOM: A large attendance of members is expected at the April meeting of the Sons of Norway. The main feature of the evening will be the semi-annual initiation of new members with the assistance of the drill team under the direction of Mrs. S. Tychsen. In the comfortable surroundings of the King Edward Hotel, Windsor Room, members will enjoy a social evening of bingo and a fine lunch. The meeting will start promptly at 9 p.m.

HURRY! HURRY!: Yes, Hurry! Step right up! This will be the familiar call to all those who attend the fabulous spring carnival at the Masonic Temple on Saturday, April 9, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Be sure and get your ticket now from any member of the Sons of Norway for only \$1.00. In addition to providing you with a wonderful time, you will also be assisting the Fourth District Sons of Norway Scholarship Fund. Highlights of the evening will include dancing, a short stage show, bingo and other games of chance as well as refreshments from the bar and lunch stands. Plan now to make up a party and join in the fun.

FIFTH ANNUAL COFFEE PARTY — Members and friends are all looking forward to the pleasant Sunday afternoon Kaffee Lag to be held from 2:30 to 5 p.m. on Sunday, May 1 at the Masonic Temple. A number of gentlemen have been invited by the social convener, Mrs. M. MacDonald, to pour coffee. To add to the afternoon's entertainment the Welsh choir has been asked to sing.

JUNIOR LODGE MEETS — An enjoyable evening was held on March 10 at the Milner Building auditorium under the direction of the Junior Director, A. Lee. Following a pleasant evening of singing and bingo, lunch was served by Mrs. M. MacDonald and Mrs. J. Lineham.

This junior group, which invites young people between the ages of 10 and 16 to join and become members, will meet again in the Milner Building auditorium on April 14 at 7:30 p.m. when the highlight of the evening will be a sock dance. Future tentative plans of the group include dancing, bowling, various outdoor activities. Those interested should contact Mr. A. Lee at HU 8-6406.

FOLK DANCE GROUP SUCCESS — An enthusiastic group are enjoying Norwegian folk dancing under the direction of S. Arneberg. Mr. Arneberg, who has been in Canada only three years, instructed dancing in Norway for 25 years. Among his past honors was that of dancing before the King and Queen of Norway. The members of the Sons of Norway

Finnish Society

The Finnish Society of Edmonton will hold a social evening when there will be a program and dancing on April 1 at McCauley Hall, commencing at 8:30 sharp. The program will include a one-act play "Ei Ikina," songs, music etc. Coffee and dancing will follow. Mr. Luhtala and the Misses Vesalainen and Nahkuri will provide music for the first half hour of dancing, the remainder will be by records. All are welcome.

The Finnish Society's fishing contest took place at Lac la Nonne on March 20. Some forty persons were at the lake but not all took part in the contest. The winner was Erik Luhtala. Congratulations.

"Vapputanssit" will be held on May 6 at McCauley Hall. Further announcement will appear in the next issue.

The last meeting of the Sewing Circle was held at the home of Mrs. M. Viitanen. Approximately 15 attended and enjoyed a pleasant evening, which came to a close with a delicious lunch served by the hostess. The next sewing circle will take place at the home of Mrs. Soderberg of 4710 - 120 Ave. on Wednesday, April 13. All ladies are welcome.

Birthday greetings are extended to Toivo Laurel and Esko Salovakola, also a belated "Happy Birthday" to Erkki Luhtala.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Spennath (nee Silja Jaakkola) on the birth of a son on March 23, a brother to Bruce Leander.

Mrs. M. Luona has gone to Vancouver where she will visit with relatives.

Membership fees to the Finnish Society may be paid to Mr. John Sahuri, 16112 - 104 Avenue.

are very pleased that he agreed to instruct for them.

Interested persons of various ages are invited to join in the dancing and spectators are welcome. All who attend will enjoy the social coffee break. The following dates have been arranged for the spring dance schedule to commence at 8 p.m. sharp: April 1 and 29th, May 6, 13 and 27; and June 3 and 10. Mark these dates on your calendar.

Anyone wishing further information should contact social director Mrs. M. MacDonald at GE 3-8738 or dance group president E. Halberg at HO 6-9344.

ESSAY CONTEST ANNOUNCED — President of the Fourth District Sons of Norway, S. Sorenson, has announced an essay contest on "The Norwegian Constitution of 1814." The 1200 word essay is open

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"BUY YOUR SHARE IN THE CENTRE NOW"

EDITORIAL

From The Secretary's Desk

By S. A. Sorenson

A NEW BROCHURE

The new up-to-the-minute Brochure recently prepared has been well received. It contains the following material on the Centre:

1. A Brief History
2. Purpose of the Centre
3. Fifteen questions and answers, commonly asked
4. A complete list of shareholders as of March 1st
5. The Share Account as of March 1st.

Have you seen this new attractive brochure? If not, phone one of the volunteer canvassers listed in the March issue of the "NEWS" or one of the directors or the office of the secretary GA 4-7311. They will be glad to call and show you up-to-the-minute information on the progress of the Centre.

VOLUNTEER CANVASSERS URGENTLY NEEDED

The present share-selling campaign is going well, and will have ended by the time this paper reaches you — March 29th. We are getting organized for a brand new campaign — the second phase of our 1960 share-selling effort to reach our goal of \$100,000.

Will you volunteer part of your time? Do you know someone who will spend some of his spare time in this interesting work? Phone GA 4-7311 immediately and offer your help in making this EXCITING NEW CAMPAIGN a complete success.

ACTIVE PLANNING COMMITTEE FORMED

G. A. Larson was elected to lead the newly formed "PLANNING COMMITTEE." Assistant directors on this committee are: O. S. Franzen, and newly elected director Harold Markstrom.

This committee is already working on plans of a Centre that will fulfill the aims and purpose of the associated Scandinavian groups and the Scandinavian people as a whole. They will seek assistance from the Scandinavian committees representing the various groups, the Cultural Activities Branch of the provincial government and our architect Dr. Minsos.

They also seek ideas from anyone interested in making a contribution. This is your centre. Will you help to plan it so that the result will be the kind of Centre we have all dreamed about?

BUFORD VASA LODGE INVITES DIRECTORS

It is very encouraging to note the interest in the Centre from outside Edmonton. The Buford Vasa Lodge have invited the Directors to visit them on March 31st, and to bring them up-to-date on the progress of the Centre.

The Co-operative Association Act

By M. Eliasson

In the last issue of our paper, I stressed the importance of being conversant with the provisions of the Co-operative Associations Act.

Subsection (5), part (1), tells us the reason why:

5. When registered the memorandum of association and by-laws bind the association and the members thereof to the same extent as if the memorandum and by-laws respectively had been signed and sealed by each member and contained covenants binding each member, his heirs, executors and administrators, to observe subject to this Act all the provisions of the memorandum and of the by-laws.

(1946, c. 6, s. 5)

The above mentioned subsection is self-explanatory. It places the onus on every member of knowing their rights, privileges and responsibilities within the Act. The Recording Secretary of each of the Associate groups, that have become part of our Co-operative, have been provided with copies of the Co-operative Associations Act — the memorandum of Association and the by-laws.

LIABILITIES OF SHAREHOLDERS AND MEMBERS

20. (1) The liabilities of the shareholders of an association having share capital is limited so that

(a) no shareholder in an association is in any manner liable for or chargeable with the payment of a debt or demand due by the association beyond the amount remaining unpaid of the face value of his share or shares, and

(b) a shareholder having fully paid up the amount of his share or shares is absolved from all further liability.

(1946, c. 6, s. 20)

Lake Yields 20,000 Pounds Of Fish

From Alberta Beach it is reported that 20,000 pounds of fish were caught in Lac Ste. Anne since commercial fishing opened Wednesday, March 23. Some 200 fishermen were in town for the catch, reports say.

The fish was sold from door to door in the town. The season closed Sunday, March 27.

Danish Food Fair

A Danish food fair, the first of its kind ever held in Denmark, will take place in Aalborg, June 3rd to 12th, this year. Denmark exports food delicacies to 120 countries all over the world, and the fair will therefore not only attract the people of the trade but, incidentally, many tourists will no doubt be interested in seeing what one of the world's leading food producing countries has to offer.



PER GISVOLD

Garden And Household Hints

Before we know it we will be out digging in the garden and figuring out where to plant our favorite flowers and shrubs. Perhaps some hints on the type of soil certain well-know annuals thrive in would be useful at this time.

In the poorer soil good results may be had from alyssum, balsam, bachelor buttons, California poppies, calliopsis, goditia, nasturtiums and portulaca. Some prefer an alkaline condition as do candy tuft, alyssum, mignonette, pansy poppy, prox, nasturtium, sweet pea and zinnia. A few tolerate quite acid conditions as calliopsis, nicotiana, verberna and castor-bear. Others are but slightly affected by moderate degrees of either acidity or alkalinity.

Generally, your annual beds will benefit from the addition of two inches of well-rotted manure or compost.

A few of the flowers that thrive in shady places are pansies, geraniums, tuberous begonia, alyssum and forget-me-not.

Perennials, like annuals, differ in their soil requirements. They work in of fine, well decayed manure or compost into the soil between the plants each spring just after growth is well started will be helpful. Should manure not be available, some commercial fertilizer can be worked into the soil.

If you have a corner of the garden where grass does not thrive, try planting lily of the valley. They do well in full or half shade, take very little care and the fresh leaves and waxy white flowers have a fragrance all their own.

To help your lawn a sprinkling of fertilizer as early as possible in the spring is very beneficial. If the soil is poor however, a thin layer of fine manure should be used. Leaving the grass clippings as they are cut will put strength into the soil. All fertilizers must have moisture in order to do much good.

OLD CLOTHES

Just before spring cleaning is a good time to go through your wardrobe and drawers and pick out the garments which you can do without and pack them off to the used clothing drive conducted by your church or club.

If there are items which have not been used over once or twice during the past season, you may be sure someone else could make better use of them. They are just overcrowding your premises. You will do yourself and some one less fortunate a good turn by giving them away. Just see that they are clean and in decent wearing condition before you turn them in.

Cold In Sweden

During a recent cold spell in Dalarna, Sweden the temperature dropped thirty-one degrees in one day. The thermometer registered zero in the morning and fell to 31 below by evening.

Little girls count on their fingers; big girls count on their legs.

Norwegian Consul Leaves For Norway

After spending nearly eight years in Canada, mostly in Edmonton, Mr. Per Gisvold, with his wife and three children, is returning to his native Norway to reside.

Mr. Gisvold graduated in law from Oslo University in 1943. He served his country during the Second World War when Germany invaded Norway, taking part in the Horten and Hegra campaigns. For a time he was in the naval secret service and later served with the militia in Sweden. In Norway in 1945 he received his discharge with the rank of Second Lieutenant.

After the war Mr. Gisvold practised law in Trondheim and served one year as court judge. He came to Canada in 1952 and attended University of Alberta, graduating in 1955. He was employed by the government of Canada agricultural economics division, doing research work in water laws in western Canada, a scheme initiated by the Prairie Farmers Rehabilitation administration. He had a book published in 1959, dealing with the Laws of Rivers and Lakes in Alberta and Manitoba.

Mr. Gisvold was admitted to the Alberta Bar in January, 1958 and

practised as a member of the law firm of Jones, Trofimuk and Gisvold until recently.

He served as vice-president of the League of Norsemen and was a charter member of the same group. For two years he served as auditor for the Scandinavian Centre Co-operative Association.

During the illness of late vice-consul Sivertsen, Mr. Gisvold served at vice-consul, and was appointed as Norwegian consul in March 1957, serving in this capacity until just prior to leaving for Norway in March, 1960. He will practise law in Oslo, Norway.

The Gisvold family will be missed by their many friends in Edmonton, as well as by members of the League of Norsemen and Scandinavian Centre. All unite in extending to them the best wishes for success and happiness on their return to their native Norway.

We Must Keep Moving Forward

With the passing of winter and its intensive social season of club and lodge activities, both business and entertaining, there may be a temptation to relax our efforts and take life a bit easier. The annual meetings are over and most of the important social events behind us, and with the warmer weather the outdoors invites us to different things.

But right now (and we can do this while busy in the garden or at house-cleaning) is the time to make a mental survey of our past season's doings. We are aware of mistakes made, as well as successes achieved. Make a mental note for future reference.

At your next club or lodge meeting, raise the question of appointing a person or committee to explore the fields of talent and ability to fill the needs for the coming year. We need strong, enterprising leaders.

For example, Scandinavian Nite. There was great improvement this year over any previous performances. The main error was that it was too long. Also, there was a tendency to similarity in type of material by the different groups. This would indicate that the leaders need to work more closely and plan a program that is varied throughout. Above all, have your leaders appointed now, and start at once.

The field of sport within the association has often been talked of but very little done about it. Wouldn't it be a good idea if some sports-minded individuals were to be formed into a committee to look into the possibility of forming leagues within the groups and leading to final play-offs between groups? This could mean a large influence for getting young people to take keener interest in lodge and club participation. At this time of the year a soft ball league could get under way. The Finnish Society has held fishing contests and derived a lot of pleasure out of them. Why not make up an or-

ganization-wide contest for some weekend during the fishing season?

Come on, all you Scandinavians, let's get going and make 1960-61 the best year yet. Get behind the organization full strength. And remember, much more money is needed before the building of the Centre can be started. Some folks are giving an astonishing amount of time and effort to the cause. More of us need to do better than we have been.

And right now, if you haven't already bought a share, sit down and think about it real hard. Don't you want to be a part of this important scheme? If you cannot see your way clear to spend \$50 right away, plan to put a few dollars aside every week for a time and you will soon have the amount. Explain what it can mean to your youngsters and maybe they will start a piggy-bank campaign and how proud they will be when the centre is a reality to be able to say they put something into it. And to those who have already bought shares, are you real sure you couldn't buy another one? This is the crucial time. We have the site, we must keep moving forward with all that's in us, and finish the job.

Scandinavian Ladies Afternoon Party

The Scandinavian Centre Ladies, under the direction of Mrs. Vera Nielsen, look forward to a large attendance at their annual tea and coffee party. The afternoon party will be held at the Hudson's Bay Auditorium from 2 to 5 p.m. Friday, April 22. There will be sale of home cooking. Admission fee is 35c. Mrs. Sigurd Johnson will be in charge of serving. Tell your friends about this popular event of the season and urge them to come. See you there.

A woman looks at a secret two ways: either it's not worth keeping or it's too good to keep.

THANK YOU

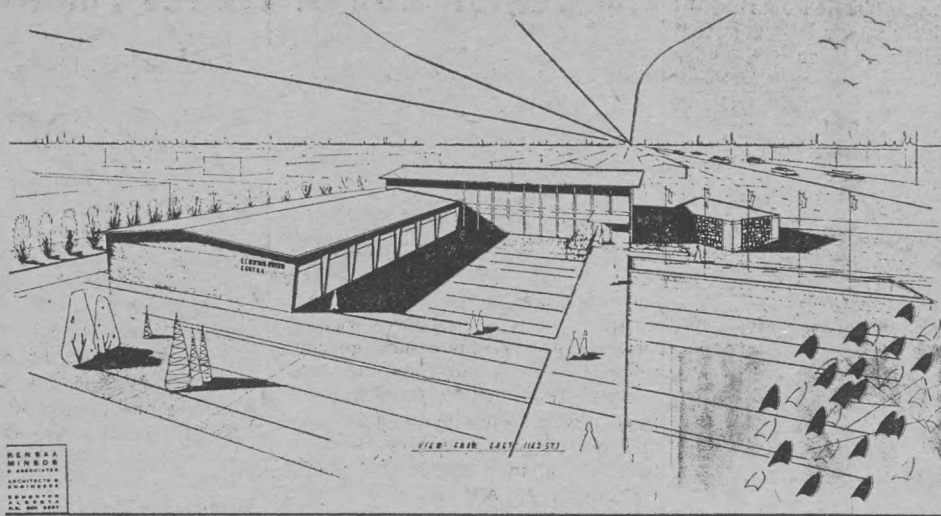
(The Editor)

A hearty "Thank You" is extended to three readers of the Scandinavian Centre News who have expressed their enjoyment of this publication in a way that is greatly appreciated by all the folks responsible for its production. These friends have seen fit to make donations of money. They are:

Mrs. Keith French, Hanna, Alta.
Al. Pearson, Thorsby, Alta.
Mrs. L. Benedictson, 9545-106A Ave.,
Edmonton.

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To All Sons Of Norway Members And Friends -- Wanted -- District Field Manager, \$500.00 Reward

To every member of Solglyt Lodge No. 143 — your co-operation is earnestly solicited in recruiting a District Manager. All you have to do is to submit names of people you think will qualify, and Supreme Lodge will do the selecting. If your man is selected, and he is the only one in the Fourth District, then this lodge has earned \$500.00. If two managers are selected, then each lodge receives \$250.00 and so on. If you are the member who suggested the successful applicant you will receive 10% of what the lodge receives.

Perhaps you know at least one person who might be a Sons of Norway Career District Manager. He might be a relation, church, club or lodge acquaintance who is ambitious and wants to be in a field where there are broad opportunities.

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Act now! This is your opportunity to help your lodge and your beloved fraternity, "SONS OF NORWAY". This offer has been extended until May 30, 1960.

Fill in this blank and mail to ELLSWORTH, at 9627-81 Street, Edmonton, Alta.

Date

I recommend

Address

Phone who has agreed in this submission of his name for interview for District Field Manager.
Signed,

Name

Address

Biggest Sports Center In Norway

Njardhallen, Norway's biggest sports centre, was recently dedicated on the outskirts of Oslo in the presence of King Olav and some 1,500 spectators. The Kr. 4 million structure, built on the initiative of Reidar Haanes, features a main hall, 230 feet long and 150 feet wide, with facilities for a variety of indoor sports, including tennis, track and field, hand ball,

ping-pong and badminton. Here, some 250 youths train every day of the week. And each Saturday night some 900 teenagers pack the floor for rock-and-roll and other dancing.

The basement of Njardhallen, as yet to be fully finished, provides well equipped rehearsal facilities for Riksteatret, Norway's travelling state theater and club rooms for Njard members, plus cafeteria, locker rooms and showers.

The up-to-date sports centre is owned and operated by Njard. For a 99-year lease on the lot the club

Vasa Lodge

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Margaret Engvall. A short program in connection with the pot luck supper was planned. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ida Pearson, 10316-132 St., on April 16.

CHILDREN'S (BARN) CLUB

The childrens meeting was held March 20 at the IOOF Temple. Plans are under way for a program for Mother's Day. The next meeting will be held on April 10.

SPORTS

A friendly curling game took place at the Shamrock on March 5 between members of Buford and Skandia lodges. Those participating were Floyd Modin, Bill Sol, Roy Pearson and Albin Marksteadt of Buford and Sig Johnson, Don Johnson, Bert Watson and Rudy Sund of Skandia. The game ended in a tie.

GORDON SAMUELSON WEDS AT LLOYDMINSTER

St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church in Lloydminster was the scene of the wedding of Miss Bertha Mari, daughter of Mrs. Anna Mari of Lloydminster, to Gordon Ernest Samuelson, son of Mrs. A. Samuelson of Edmonton. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Gorman.

Given in marriage by her brother John Mari, the bride wore a traditional white floor-length gown, fashioned in tiers of lace and tulle. With it she wore a shoulder length illusion veil and carried a cascade of red sweetheart roses.

Attending the bride were Mrs. Veronica Perkins as matron of honor, Miss Kathy Mari and Miss Audrey Ranger as bridesmaids. They wore waltz length gowns of lace and net and carried bouquets of carnations.

The best man was Bert Belcourt and the ushers Jack Ludvigsen and Arnold Mari.

For the occasion the bride's mother wore a turquoise dress with matching accessories, with a corsage of pink carnations and the groom's mother wore a navy dress with white accessories, and corsage of pink carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Alcurve Hall which was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

The toast to the bride was proposed by Tom Harrold to which the groom made suitable reply. In charge of the guest book was Miss Mary Kolotelo. In the evening a dance was held at the Alcurve Hall.

Out of town guests were Mrs. A. Samuelson, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Belcourt, Roy Samuelson, Mac

pays Kr. 1.00 a year to the Municipality of Oslo. The State Youth and Sports Office has contributed Kr. 600,000 and Oslo Municipality Kr. 800,000.

McLeod, Jack Ludvigsen, Tom Bahniuk, Mrs. M. Eliasson and Glen, Paul and Ray Nyroos, Zeno Chuhic, Mr. and Mrs. E. Wojcicki, Mr. and Mrs. O. Sund and Carol, and Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Sund, all from Edmonton.

On their return from their honeymoon the nappy couple will make their home in Lloydminster.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

A beautiful and solemn memorial service was held March 30 at Augustana Lutheran Church when Skandia Lodge honored members who had passed beyond.

President Sigurd Johnson opened the service and Pastor Sjoberg gave the address. Members of Lodge Skandia took part with music, songs and verse fitting for the occasion. They were assisted by the church organist Mrs. P. Thorslev.

Memorial flowers were placed on the altar by families of the departed members. The offering was presented to the church building fund.

Following the service the Vasa ladies served lunch in the social room of the church.

FORMER MEMBERS OF SKANDIA DIE IN CHILLIWACK, B.C.

Members of Skandia Lodge were saddened when they heard of the passing away of two of their former members, Mr. Wm. Ness, who died in February, and three weeks later his wife Ruth May. Mr. Ness served as master of ceremonies in Lodge Skandia and was a favorite as entertainer at the social functions of the lodge.

They are survived by a daughter Sandra attending school in Regina. Mrs. Ness has a sister, Mrs. Cecil Gillespie living in Edmonton and another sister and four brothers and her parents reside in Chilliwack.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Forsman announce the arrival of a son.

Mrs. Rydman has returned from a three week vacation at LaJolla and Los Angeles, California. She travelled with her son and daughter and all report a wonderful time.

Mrs. Marjorie Hughes of Vancouver made a flight trip to Edmonton recently when she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Pearson.

Mrs. Svea Erickson recently had as her guest Mrs. Bertha Christianson of Edson.

Mrs. Ragnhild Johnson travelled to Medicine Hat where she visited relatives and friends.

Mrs. Milda Beckstrom had her son Dr. Alvin Beckstrom and family of Cranbrook, B.C., as weekend visitors.

Open house was held at the

Sewing Needle Gets Around

For thirty years a sewing needle travelled through the body of a man in Bohuslan, Sweden. He had never felt the needle until a few days ago when he drew it out from one of his arms. The only explanation of how the needle entered his body would appear to be that it was left in his abdomen when he underwent an operation for appendicitis thirty years ago.

Electrifying The Icy Mountains

Up to the last war, life in Greenland was based on petroleum lamps, stove-heating and manual production. Ten years ago the first public power station was opened there; and now the Greenlanders primitive way of life, with hunting and fishing as the chief occupations, has been modernized, and fishing and industrial fish-processing have become the principal activities.

home of Mrs. A. Samuelson on March 2 in honor of her son Gordon and bride who were married Feb. 27 at Lloydminster.

Mrs. Minnie Nelson has returned from a two month visit with her sister-in-law at Kenora, Ont.

We are happy to report that Mrs. Lillian Collins and Mrs. Sonja Sund are recovering from illness. Brian Johnson is home from hospital after an accident and we wish him a speedy recovery.

A good representation of members from Skandia Lodge attended the annual smorgasbord sponsored by Buford Vasa Lodge, held in Calmar Hall on March 18. Among them were members of the Swedish dance team who were invited to perform during the short program.

Everyone reported a wonderful time. The food was excellent, the program good and the dance to Lilly Taylor's orchestra much enjoyed. Members of Buford Lodge are to be commended for their hospitality and for making such a success of this annual event.

Several Vasa members were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith when their daughter Geraldine showed slides and pictures of her visit to Denmark and Sweden when she represented Canada at the Girl Guide Jamboree last year.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear husband and father, A. Samuelson who was taken from us April 8, 1956.

Loving and kind in all his ways, Upright and just in all his days; Sincere and true in heart and mind, Beautiful memories he left behind.

Ever remembered by his loving wife and family.

Scandinavians All

By Elsie Simmons

We come from Norway's rugged shores,
From Finland's hills and vales;
From Denmark's rich and golden stores
Of wealth that there prevails.
From Iceland's tiny island ports,
From Sweden's streams and dales.
Hurrah! we're Scandinavians all,
In unity, a common call.

From each our motherland so dear,
We offer from our hands,
Of gifts we can be proud to bear,
To this our adopted land.
In pride and honor, without fear,
We now as brothers stand.
Hurrah! we're Scandinavians all,
In unity, a common call.

To merge as one fine race of men,
In comradeship and love,
Our aim is to go forward then,
And rise to goals above,
And build through co-operation
The Centre that we trove.
Hurrah! we're Scandinavians all,
In unity, a common call.

So, sons and daughters free and strong,
Make all our dreams come true,
With work and hope we can't go wrong,
It's up to me and you.
Give out with all, it won't be long
E'er our great work is through.
Hurrah! we're Scandinavians all,
In unity, a common call.

News In Brief

(From Norway)

The Festival Company of Norway will, by popular demand, give a performance in the Music Hall of Brooklyn Academy of Music, Brooklyn, N. Y., April 3, to wind up its successful tour of USA.

Members of 41 Sons of Norway lodges on the eastern seaboard will celebrate the 65th anniversary of the fraternal benefit society with a banquet at the Statler-Hilton Hotel, New York, March 19.

Governor Trygve Lie, appointed Ambassador Extraordinaire to inform foreigners about investment in Norway, is due in Bonn on March 27 to start discussions with West German leaders.

Henrik Ibsen's "A Doll's House" has set a new post-war record for legitimate plays at the Polish National Theatre, Warsaw, with 150 performances as of Feb. 17, and still going strong.

Members of the Norwegian team to the Winter Olympics in Squaw Valley placed a commemorative plaque on the grave of Norwegian-born Snowshoe Thompson, famed skiing mailman of the Sierras.

The Norwegian Singing Society of Brooklyn, N.Y., Norman Myrvik conductor, gave its 70th anniversary concert Feb. 17, with Lauritz Melchior as soloist. The program

Alberta Red Cross Safety Courses

Plans are now finalized for two Water Safety Instructor Training Courses to be conducted at the YWCA in both Calgary and Edmonton during Easter Week April 18 to 22 inclusive.

Candidates for these courses must hold the Red Cross Senior Swimmer award and a life-saving award from either the YMCA or Royal Life Saving Society. Candidates must be 16 years of age to receive the Senior Leader award and 18 years old to qualify as a Red Cross instructor.

Mr. A. G. Gilmet, Red Cross Water Safety Director for Alberta will be the chief instructor for the Edmonton course and Mr. K. A. Hodgert will be in charge of instruction in Calgary.

Enrolment in both courses is limited to 35 candidates. Application forms for either course are available from the Director's office, 9931 106th St. Edmonton, Alta.

included works by three contemporary Norwegian composers.

Some 74 million saplings were planted in Norway last year, mostly spruce (83.2%) and pine (8.7%), as part of reforestation programs. The work was seriously hampered by long summer drought.

What's Cooking?

OATMEAL SHORTBREAD

Contributed by Margaret Cameron

2 cups instant rolled oats
¼ cup icing sugar
½ cup melted butter
salt

Pat onto a cookie sheet, bake in a 300 degree oven for ¾ hour. When partly cool, cut in squares.

BASIC SWEET DOUGH

Scald 2/3 cup milk, add and stir in 2/3 cup sugar, 1¼ tsp. salt, 6 tbs. softening. Cool, measure into bowl 2/3 warm water. Sprinkle in 2 pkts. Fleischman's yeast and a pinch of sugar. Add to cooled milk mixture. Add 3 eggs beaten, 3 cups flour. Beat until smooth. Add more flour and knead well. Let rise until double in bulk. Punch down and make into buns Swedish Tea ring etc.

SWEDISH TEA RING

Roll out above in two pieces. Brush with butter. Mix together ¼ cup brown sugar, ½ tsp. cinnamon, ½ cup currants. Sprinkle on rolled out pieces. Roll like jelly roll, form in a circle and cut 1 inch slices not all the way through. Cover and let rise. Bake in oven 350 degrees for about 20 minutes.

BRAN MUFFINS

1 cup flour, ½ tsp. salt, ¾ cup bran, 2 tsp. baking powder, ½ tsp. soda, ¼ cup shortening, ½ cup brown sugar, 1 egg, 2 tbs. molasses, ¾ cup milk, (scant) raisins may be added. Bake in oven 350 degrees about 12 minutes.

FLUFFY PUMPKIN PIE

Put the following into top of double boiler, ½ tin of pumpkin, 1 tbs. flour, nearly 1 cup sugar, ¼ tsp. ginger, ½ tsp. cinnamon, little nutmeg, ¼ tsp. salt, 2 eggs, ¾ cup milk. Cook and put into baked pie shell.

A lady was bitten by a mad dog and was advised to make a will because of the possibility of rabies. She wrote furiously for two hours.

"It looks like an unusually long will," her lawyer said.

"Will? Who's writing a will?" she snapped. This is a list of people I'm going to bite."

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SEARCH for "New Canadian Mother of 1960" is now going on throughout Canada. Mrs. Lillian Spiess, a Danish New Canadian, won honor last year for work for under-privileged children. Nominations may be sent to Florists Telegraph Delivery Association, Ottawa.

Will Add 33 More Mounties

Premier E. C. Manning said that 33 men will be added this year to the strength of the RCMP in Alberta.

The province's share of the cost will be \$2,870 a man and it will increase the over all cost of policing the province to \$1,614,025 from \$1,422,579 estimated for the current fiscal year.

The Premier said the RCMP strength in Alberta now stands at 575 men. He said the number of new men will be assigned to highway patrol work.

A number of Alberta towns have

PWA Again Cuts North Freight Rates

Pacific Western Airlines announced that, subject to Air Transport Board approval, a reduction in air freight shipment bulk rates from Edmonton to 13 Northern points will become effective April 15.

PWA last fall announced a temporary winter commodity rate covering perishable shipments to Yellowknife, Fort Smith, Fort McMurray and Uranium City were to expire on April 1. The new rates will become effective on April 15, and will provide a permanently reduced rate on bulk shipments to these points, and also to Inuvik, Norman Wells, Peace River, Providence, Wrigley, Hay River, Fort Vermilion, Fort Simpson and Fort Resolution, according to the company announcement.

Shipments from 1800 lbs. up to 3000 lbs. carry a 13% reduction from the normal northern air-freight rate. For shipments over 3000 lbs. the reduction is 23% of present rates. The new rates represent reductions to the normal 100 lb. rate ranging from 79 cents to \$10.25, depending on category and destination.

dropped their contracts with the RCMP for town policing because of prohibitive costs, the Premier added.

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TIPS FOR PARENTS

By HELEN R. HEWSON
Parents Education Associates

CHILDREN do enjoy school, said the principal of a large city elementary school. "You know, many people do not realize this, but children do like to work."

"But it must be work that has meaning for them and in which they feel they are making some progress. A sense of achievement, of a job well done, and adult encouragement, help to keep them going."

"Some children seem to be more self-propelled than others but all respond to good teaching."

In recent years the schools have progressed in putting into practice the 20th century knowledge of child development. It has been demonstrated over and over again that children learn best when they feel comfortable and at ease.

In today's schools the rigid formal program has given way to a more relaxed and friendly atmosphere, a more varied presentation of the subject matter.

Good teaching takes into consideration the different levels of readiness or development found in each classroom.

For instance, not all children are ready to read on the same day, or even the same month. A flexible program of reading readi-

ness and reading skills encourages each pupil to do his best in his own way.

The principal smiled when asked, "Do you teach subjects or do you teach children?"

"We didn't quite fall for that shallow phrase, 'Teach the child, not the subject.' There is a solid core of basic subjects that each child must master," he said.

"We do our best to help him accomplish this but our teaching methods have changed. Our level of expectation is not the same for all children."

"Individual differences are recognized and respected but not used as an excuse for inferior work. We do our best to help each child work up to the level of his capacity."

Another important aspect of teaching today is the sense of responsibility and of discovery encouraged in the classroom. This depends upon the skill of the teacher in making use of the child's own developing interests and self-confidence in the search for knowledge.

The pupils are encouraged to discuss their own experiences, their reading, their hobbies. They learn to search out illustrative material at home, in the library, art gallery and museum.

More and better text books are provided and the children are encouraged and tempted to read widely.

News In Brief

From Denmark

Denmark had 610 traffic fatalities during the first eleven months of 1959, which are 124 more than for the same period the previous year. Some 17,340 persons were injured, of which 5460 seriously.

The Public Health Service, the Danish Medical Association and the National Society for Combating Cancer have appointed a committee of nine prominent physicians to examine into the connection between the smoking of cigarettes and lung cancer and to discuss remedies.

In the United Nations, Denmark was unanimously elected member of the Special Commission for southwest-Africa, succeeding Finland.

To the United Nations World-Wide campaign for refugees, Denmark has appropriated kroner 2,500,000, of which kroner 2,400,000 will be placed at the disposal of the UN High Commissioner for Refugees.

The Frederik Lunning Prize, instituted by the late founder and president of Georg Jensen, Inc., of New York, has this year been awarded the Finnish architect and interior designer Antti Nurmesniemi and the Norwegian artist Arne Jon Jutren (glass). The annual prize is \$5000 which thus will be divided between the two craftsmen.

The owner of the furniture factory "Falster" in a Danish provincial town has been fined for plagiarizing the famed Wegner Chair and judged to pay substantial damages.

A group of seven architects from Argentina have been on a visit of study in Denmark.

Professor P. V. Glob of the Aarhus Prehistoric Museum has left on a seventh archaeological and ethnographical expedition to Bahrain. The group has thirty members.

A new folk school has been opened at Baaring near Middelfart.

In the presence of King Frederik

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By STANLEY



1700 Danish Boy Scout leaders recently celebrated in "Tivoli" the 50th Jubilee of the organization.

Mist Lise Lotte Palodan Andersen of Hellerup was Danish delegate to the New York Herald Tribune High School Forum, Dec. 27 - March 30.

"My Fair lady" is enjoying great success in Copenhagen with Gerda Gilboe as Eliza Doolittle.

Dr. C. C. Madsen, President of Dana College, Blair, Nebraska, was in honor guest and addressed the Danish Club in New York on Jan. 20.

Dr. Paul V. Hansen, Jr., Asst. Prof. of Chemistry at Dana Col-

lege, has received a National Science Foundation Faculty Fellowship. He represents the third generation of this Hansen family. His grandfather was one of the early Danish pioneers who founded "Dana".

The new "Royal Hotel", Copenhagen's newest hostelry, will open its doors to guests early this year. Operated by a Scandinavian Airlines System subsidiary, SAS Investment, Inc., this 22-story hotel will have 275 air-conditioned rooms, each with private bath.

THE WORRY COW — Might have lived till now, if she hadn't lost her breath. But she thought her hay would last all day, so she worried herself to death.

DANIA

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of Denmark will celebrate their silver anniversary on May 26th, on which occasion Copenhagen will be beautifully decorated with flowers, flags and lights. It looks like a Festival of Festivals in Denmark 1960: Here are some of the events.

In addition to performances by the Royal Danish Ballet and Danish State Radio Symphony Orchestra, both of which have become well known to American audiences, the festival will include these new features: The old Royal Court Theatre at Christianborg Palace, which houses the oldest theatre museum in the world, will be the scene of several chamber music concerts.

Other concerts will be by candlelight in Hamlet's Castle at Elsinore and in the stunning new Town Hall of Odense. Hans Christian Andersen's native town. Life in Denmark as it existed during the Stone Age some 5,000 years ago will be recreated in the Heath of Hjerl, in the heart of Jutland, where several families will establish residence in a Stone Age village from July 10 to 24. In addition, farm life of more recent times, 150 years ago, will be shown nearby as other families show how

the farmer, the miller, blacksmith, tailor and school teacher lived in olden times. It is all part of a fifteenth anniversary celebration of the Hjerl Heath, a remarkably realistic open air museum.

A question to women who wear slacks: "Does your end justify your jeans?"

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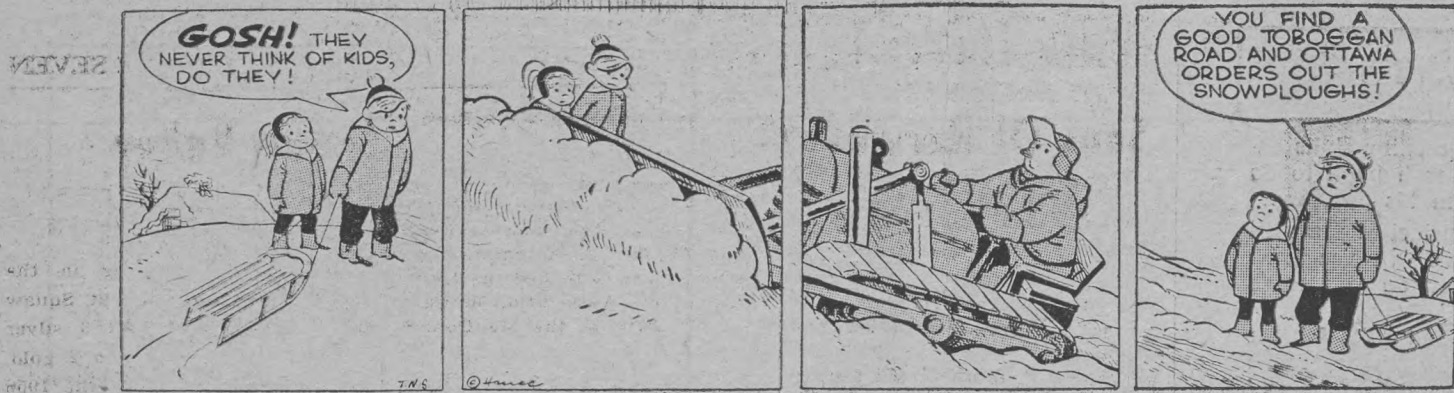
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Payments, Employment, Chief Topics In Bank Of Canada Report

The 1959 annual report of the governor of the Bank of Canada, J. E. Coyne, has been tabled by the minister of finance in the house of commons. Part of it is of primary interest to students of monetary and financial affairs but much of what Mr. Coyne has to say has interest for all Canadians as we embark on the decade of the sixties.

Among other things, the Report deals with the great economic progress made in the rest of the world—increased productivity and efficiency among industrialized countries and increased exports by less developed countries. This spells keener competition for Canada in world markets at a time when special post-war advantages that have helped us up to now are diminishing.

Against this background, there are two subjects—not unrelated—with which the Report seems to be principally concerned. The first is the situation that has developed in our balance of payments with other countries. The other has to do with maintain full employment and economic growth in Canada on a sustainable basis without the excesses of instability and inflation.

The outstanding feature in our balance of payments, says the Governor, is that the last four years have produced a current account deficit and a corresponding increase in foreign debt of \$5 1/3 billion. In 1959 alone the deficit was nearly \$1 1/2 billion. These figures do not include the retained (i.e. unremitted) earnings by foreign-controlled firms which have averaged about \$300 million a year since 1953, and which can be transmitted to the controlling foreign corporations at any time. It is not hard to realize that continuing increases in foreign debt on this scale pose some serious questions.

The Governor says "it must be recognized that in a capital-hungry world we cannot in fact count on having ready access to foreign capital year after year on a large scale. The longer the process of attempted over-expansion or over-rapid expansion goes on the more difficult and painful will be the readjustments which will in time be forced upon us. We must in the end learn as a nation to live within our means, and exhibit the strength and will to do so."

On the subject of maintaining sustainable economic growth the Report says that "At the present time the central bank is the only agency in Canada which is charged by statute with the duty of conducting its operations in such a way as to promote price stability, rising employment and economic growth. This is unfortunately open to misconception, because it is certain that the central bank cannot accomplish such a result alone, and there is great danger in the misunderstanding which may be created that, no matter what other sectors of the community may be

doing, an appropriate monetary policy can by some magic prevent inflation and achieve the other objectives of economic policy."

The Governor reminds Canadians that there is nothing the central bank can do to induce lenders to take a more favourable view of one kind of borrower as against another—such as small business as distinct from large enterprises, or Canadian enterprises as compared with foreign-owned enterprises, or governments as against private business. The central bank can increase total monetary resources if that seems to be required in the aggregate but cannot determine how or in what part of Canada those who acquire monetary resources decide to spend, save, lend or invest them. If these decisions appear to create problems the necessity of pin-pointing action to deal with them in good times as well as in recessions, has tended to be overlooked, and the possible value of general monetary expansion and deficit spending have been seriously exaggerated in the public mind. Such over-all measures can do very little to cure unemployment which is not due to any deficiency of total demand in Canada. Indeed, when general economic activity is relatively high, even though there may be serious particular problems, monetary expansion and deficit spending may contribute more to an increase of

imports, and therefore to an increase in production and employment outside Canada, than to an increase in production and employment inside Canada.

"We can achieve, by our own efforts without foreign aid, a substantial increase every year in our productive capacity and standard of living. For the purpose of maintaining full employment, economic growth and a rising standard of living, we do not need to stimulate a temporarily high but unsustainable rate of consumer spending by means of more and more consumer credit, or of capital expenditures on a scale greater than our own capacity and willingness to save out of annual production for that purpose. We would benefit more from greater diversification of our production, which could provide a higher average level of employment and one less exposed to the hazard of sudden changes."

NIVER AGAIN!

Two cops met in a quiet part of town. "Say, Mike, this would not be yer new beat, would it?" asked Pat in a shocked voice.

"Aye, that it would," Mike answered glumly. "Iver since I arrested the judge on his way to the Beaux Arts ball."

"You pinched hizzoner?" "Shure, and how was I to know that the convict suit was only a fancy dress costume?" Mike protested.

"And now yer pounding a beat in the sticks. Ah, there's a moral there somewhere, Mike, me boy." "That there is," Mike agreed. "Tis the last time I'll iver book a judge by his cover."

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Roy Rogers Won't Appear At Exhibition

A. J. Anderson, General Manager of the Edmonton Exhibition Association was today in touch with Mr. Mike North, Roy Rogers' manager, in Hollywood. Mr. North confirmed reports that because of ill health Roy Rogers might possibly be forced to curtail his activities this summer.

Due to a congenital heart condition, Roy Rogers has been advised by his physicians to abandon any future performances. This of course includes his pending appearances at the Edmonton Exhibition and the Calgary Stampede.

Edmonton Exhibition officials are now endeavoring to secure the balance of the Roy Rogers Show, and substitute a big name western television star to headline the Roy Rogers Show.

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by ORAL ROBERTS

GET ON THE WING!

God says He deals with people in the same way the mother eagle deals with her young.

The eagle has a strong and powerful wing. She builds her nest on high places, in high trees or on high, rocky ledges. She hatches her eggs and raises her little ones in the nest, which is made of sharp briars to ward off intruders. The eagle is a wonderful mother.

The Bible speaks of the mother eagle many times. In the Scriptures (Exodus 19:4; Deuteronomy 32:11, 12) God compares Himself to the mother eagle.

He says: "As she taketh them and beareth them on her wings, so I, the Lord, did lead thee"; and, "As an eagle stirreth up her nest, fluttereth over her young, spreadeth abroad her wings over them, taketh them and beareth them, so I bear you on eagles' wings."

The mother eagle gets her young off the briar of the nest and into the air on her wings! She teaches them how to set their own wings, and bare their breasts so the wind will lift them above the storm.

This is the way God deals with humanity: First, He stirs our nests, making us feel dissatisfied with the status quo. He uses His mighty power to carry us above life's storms. Then He fills us with love and compassion and teaches us how to lift ourselves, with His di-

vine help, above all problems of life.

God stirred the nest of the children of Israel when they were in Egyptian bondage. He delivered them because they did as He commanded, and they trusted Him.

Twelve years ago in Enid, Oklahoma, God stirred my own nest. I was pastoring a good church. But God's time had come for me to launch out, to bring the message of God's deliverance . . . to tell people how they can receive abundant life by choosing God . . . telling them how God saves souls and heals sick bodies.

God can let us down on the briars so hard that we become not only willing but glad to obey Him. And then when we do obey God, everyone around us will be glad!

A person who is "on the wing" doesn't feel the briars of the eagle's nest. God's love helps him solve every problem along life's way.

When you accept God into your soul, you enter a different atmosphere. You are too big to come down to something little. You have a new outlook on life.

God loves us and wants us all to have life in abundance.

Are you sitting on the briars of the eagle's nest? Ask God to lift you up onto His wings, so that you, too, can enjoy life more abundantly.

Sons Of Norway

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to all college and university students. The prizes are \$50 first, \$25 second and \$15 for third. All essays entered in the contest should be addressed to the Chairman of the Contest Committee, Attorney Olaf M. Thorsen, 314 De Mers Ave., Grand Forks, North Dakota, and should be in his hands on or before May 1, 1960. It is hoped that many students will participate.

DELEGATES ELECTED TO FOURTH DISTRICT CONVENTION — An enthusiastic meeting was held on Friday, March 18 in the Masonic Temple clubroom. The following were elected as delegates to the Fourth District Convention to be held in Minot, North Dakota on June 3 and 4: Mrs. S. Sivertsen, C. Amdam, P. Hansen and K. Svidal. Alternates chosen were Mrs. M. MacDonald, Mrs. S. Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Rikstad.

Following the business meeting a delicious lunch was served. The evening concluded with members placing bets on "horses."

CALGARY TRIP SUCCESS — Sons of Norway members and friends will long remember their chartered bus trip to Calgary where they attended a social evening at Star Temple under the direction of the Calgary Sons of Norway in aid of the Fourth District Scholarship Fund. The Edmonton folk dance group was introduced by S. Sorenson, master of ceremonies for the evening which included musical numbers by Mrs. N. Hovde and J. MacDonald.

During the evening's dance, C. Fredericksen, president Calgary lodge, introduced Miss C. Erickson Sons of Norway candidate for Stamped Queen.

As a result of the large attendance from Edmonton at this social it was anticipated that a good turn-out of Calgary lodge members will be here for the Carnival of Spring on April 9. At that time it is hoped that through the efforts of B. Kolbjornrud and P. Hansen, a bowling tournament between the Calgary and Edmonton lodges can be arranged.

Congratulations to Rolf Helgeson who won a new 1960 Pontiac at a recent car bingo.

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Mr. and Mrs. Halvor Johnson were visited by their son A. Johnson of Wilkie, Saskatchewan recently when he attended the Hereford Breeders Association of Canada convention at the MacDonald Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Naverseth are enjoying a spring vacation visiting friends and sight-seeing in California. They are travelling by car and plan to be away for almost a month.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hovde proudly announce the arrival of their first granddaughter, born to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Mikkelsen (Nee Edel Hovde) on March 14, weighing 7 lbs. 8 oz.

Mrs. Lorne Welsh of Fort St. John, recently visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Berild.

Members and friends regret to hear that Mrs. I. Lagergren is in hospital.

BOWLING BY-LINES — Continued high honors go to the following: High team, Victor Larsen's Fjords; Ladies high single and triple, Betty McKevitt; Men's high singles, Ole Borgersen; Men's high triple, Barnard Olafson.

Mr. M. Stensby has returned from a brief vacation in Vancouver.

A note for Sons of Norway members—Mr. M. Myhre, Treasurer of the lodge has a new phone number. It is HU 8-2353.

Angus MacDonald recently enjoyed a ski week-end at Temple Mountain, Banff.

Squaw Valley Score Board

Norwegians competing in the Olympic Winter Games at Squaw Valley won 3 gold and 3 silver medals, as compared with 2 gold, 1 silver and 1 bronze in the 1956 games at Cortina. In the unofficial team standing, Norway ranked sixth, scoring 53 points, as against 41 at Cortina.

Knut Johannesen of Norway ran the 10,000 meter speed skating race at Squaw Valley in 15:46.6 minutes, to smash the world and Olympic records of 16:32.6 and 16:39.9 minutes, respectively. He also placed second in the 5,000 meter race. Roald Aas tied for first place in the 1,500 meter. In skiing, the special 15 kilometer cross-country was won by Haakon Brusveen; Tormod Knutsen was second in Nordic Combined; and the Norwegian team finisher second in the 4x10 kilometer relay race.

Five other Norwegians helped to boost the unofficial team standing. Torstein Seiersten placed fourth in the 5,000 meter skating event and sixth in the 10,000 meter. Einar Ostby was fourth in the special 15 kilometer cross-country and Torgbjrn Yggseth had the fifth highest score in special ski jumping. Sixth places were won by Alv Gjestvang, in the 500 meter speed skating, and by Arne Larsen, in the Nordic Combined.

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Ex-Banker
Admits 'Payola'
For Loans

TORONTO — A former bank
manager said in court here he had
accepted "favors" in return for
granting bank loans.

Robert Robinson, formerly em-
ployed by the Royal Bank of Can-
ada, admitted receiving a paid
Florida vacation from one customer
and the loan of a luxury limousine
from another, before Judge Am-
brose Shea and a jury.

He testified at the trial of
Samuel Morgenstern, 49, charged
with knowingly possessing \$32,000
in stolen bonds.

The bonds, according to evidence
were used as collateral for some
\$26,000 in business venture loans
at the Lawrence Ave. E. and Vic-
toria Pk. bank which Mr. Robinson
managed.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



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BIRD MEAT
IS CONSIDERED
A DELICACY BY
GREENLAND ESKIMOS-
LES THE FEATHERS
WALL WHERE THEY MAY.

SWISS
COWBELLS
ARE OF
ENORMOUS
SIZE-
HUNG ON
LAVISHLY
ORNAMENTED
COLLARS.

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5,500,000 SQUARE
MILES- 21-TIMES
THE SIZE OF TEXAS.

Farmers' Incomes
Show Variations

How much does the Canadian
farmer net from every dollar of
gross income?

A Canada department of agri-
culture economist, studying finan-
cial statements of 13 groups of
farm in four western provinces
found that the average return to
the farmer for his labor and capital
was about 40 percent of the gross
income.

In other words, explains C. K.
Varkaris, for every dollar of gross
income, the farmer had a return of
40 cents.

One group of farms in Alberta
showed a negative return in a year
when crop yields were low.

In British Columbia, farms sur-
veyed in the Rocky Mountain
French area averaged a 40 per cent
return on gross income, with mixed
livestock farms leading with about
50 per cent. In the central region,
farms surveyed averaged 47 per
cent of gross income. Livestock
crop farming had a return of 64
per cent. Sixty-five Fraser Valley
dairy farms had returns amounting
to 43 per cent of gross, and on
Vancouver Island, another 29 dairy
farms showed returns that were 40
per cent of gross.

In Alberta, two types of farms in
the Parkland area were surveyed.
One was general livestock farms
and the other grain farms. The
first group was the exception to the
general rule, showing negative re-
turns to labor and capital. The
grain farms recorded returns that
were 38 per cent of gross.

Fashionettes

If you are short, remember that
a blouse and skirt or separates of
any kind cut your height. Stick to
simple, one-piece dresses and stay
away from wide belts. Many short
girls seem to love wide belts. A
wide belt only cuts your height.

The Viking Town of Lindholm
Hoje. A previously unknown Dan-
ish Viking town and its burial-
ground, which died out about 1100
A.D. and was buried in sand, has
recently been excavated. With its
stone-enclosed graves it forms one
of Denmark's most impressive pre-
historic monuments.

GOING, GOING . . .

The man was sitting at his desk,
busily scribbling figures on a piece
of paper. A friend was curious and
asked him what he was doing.

"Well, it's like this. My wife is
on a diet and she told me she's
losing four pounds a week. She did
weigh 168 pounds and if my fig-
ures are correct, I'll be complete-
ly rid of her in 14 months!"

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Rabbits Stage Comeback

LONDON — After being driven
from British tables by the myxo-
matosis plague, rabbits are now
staging a comeback.

A contingent of 600 "does" re-
cently imported from New Zea-
land has already gone to work in
a plant which is expected to pro-
duce 18,000 young rabbits a year.

Each doe is supposed to produce
four litters a year averaging eight
little ones in each. At the age of
two months a rabbit should weigh
four pounds, compared to the three
pounds of a broiler chicken at the
age of 11 weeks.

The aim is to capture part of
the chicken market which now
absorbs 75,000,000 broilers a year
in Britain.

Broilers now cost about 56 cents
a pound in London. Young rabbits
would only cost 38 cents a pound.

Two cows were grazing along
the highway when a tank truck of
milk rumbled by. On the side of
the vehicle was printed:
"Pasteurized, homogenized, stan-
dardized, with vitamin A added."
One cow turned to the other and
said: "Makes you feel sort of in-
adequate, doesn't it?"

Use the talents you possess, for
the woods would be very silent if
no birds sang except the best

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Auditoriums Not
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Provincial treasurer E. W. Hin-
man told the public accounts com-
mittee that Alberta's two jubilee
auditoriums were not expected to
pay their own way because of their
cultural contributions. But, he said,
their deficits are being reduced
every year.

Operations of the auditoriums
cost \$509,627 while revenues to-
talled \$174,315 in the 1958-59 fiscal
year, resulting in a deficit of \$335-
311.

The auditorium in Edmonton pro-
duced a deficit of \$177,899 while
the Calgary auditorium had a de-
ficit of \$157,411.

Mr. Hinman said the auditoriums
are rented at "very low cost" to
cultural, charitable and religious
groups.

The income from the auditoriums
is increasing, he added, and said
he believes the public accounts for
the current year will show revenue
and expenditures closer to balanc-
ing.

Small Boy: "I'll be a good boy
when I go to the hospital, and take
my medicine, and I won't cry."
Mother: "That's just fine, dear."
Boy: "But I sure won't let them
palm off a baby on me, like they
did on you. I want a pup."

I am going to marry a widow.
I just couldn't. I wouldn't like
to be widow's second husband.
But isn't it better than to be her
first husband.
But isn't it better than to be her
first husband.

A young lady on a vacation
cruise stopped a sailor at his job
and asked, "I'd like to see the cap-
tain of this ship."
"Hhe forward miss."
"Well I don't mind, this IS a
pleasure trip."

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